PUBLIC NOTICE

Eastman Chemical Company has applied to the Tennessee Air Pollution Control Division (TAPCD) for a <u>significant modification to their major source operating permit</u> number 556167, subject to the provisions of paragraph 1200-3-9-.02(11) of the Tennessee Air Pollution Control Regulations (TAPCR). A major source (Title V) operating permit is required by both the Federal Clean Air Act and the Tennessee Air Pollution Control Regulations.

The applicant is **Eastman Chemical Company** with a site address of South Eastman Road, Kingsport, Tennessee. They seek to obtain a significant modification to a major source operating permit for their chemical manufacturing operations.

The significant modification seeks to change a permit term or condition for which there is no corresponding underlying applicable requirement and that the source has assumed to avoid an applicable requirement (Prevention of Significant Deterioration) to which the source would otherwise be subject. The existing Title V operating permit subject to the modification is identified as follows: Division identification number 82-0003/556167 – MSOP-32. The process emission source affected by the modification is identified as follows: PES-B-248-1/Division emission source reference identification number 82-1003-40, 41. This significant modification is conducted pursuant to subpart 1200-3-9-.02(11)(f)5(iv) of the Tennessee Air Pollution Control Regulations. Only the portion of the Title V permit affected by the significant modification is open to comment during the notice period.

EPA has agreed to treat this draft Part 70 permit modification as a proposed Part 70 permit modification and to perform its 45-day review provided by the law concurrently with the public notice period. If any substantive comments are received, EPA's 45-day review period will cease to be performed concurrently with the public notice period. EPA's 45-day review period will start once the public notice period has been completed and EPA receives notification from the Tennessee Air Pollution Control Division that comments have been received and resolved. Whether EPA's 45-day review period is performed concurrently with the public comment period or after the public comment period has ended, the deadline for citizen's petitions to the EPA Administrator will be determined as if EPA's 45-day review period is performed after the public comment period has ended (*i.e.*, sequentially). The status regarding EPA's 45-day review of this project and the deadline for submitting a citizen's petition can be found at the following website address:

http://www.epa.gov/region4/air/permits/Tennessee.htm

A copy of the application materials used by the TAPCD and a copy of the draft permit are available for public inspection during normal business hours at the following locations:

Kingsport Public Library & Archives 400 Broad Street Kingsport, TN 37660-4292

and

Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation Division of Air Pollution Control 9th Floor, L & C Annex 401 Church Street Nashville, TN 37243-1531

A copy of the draft permit is also available electronically by accessing the TDEC internet site located at:

http://tn.gov/environment/apc/ppo/

Interested parties are invited to review these materials and comment. In addition, a public hearing may be requested at which written or oral presentations may be made. To be considered, written comments or requests for a public hearing must be made within thirty (30) days of the date of this notice and should be addressed to Mr. Barry R Stephens, P.E., Director, Air Pollution Control Division, 9th Floor, L & C Annex, 401 Church Street, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1531. Questions concerning the source(s) may be addressed to Mr. Travis Blake at the same address or by calling (615) 532-0554 or (615) 532-0617. A final determination will be made after weighing all relevant comments.

Individuals with disabilities who wish to review information maintained at the above-mentioned depositories should contact the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation to discuss any auxiliary aids or services needed to facilitate such review. Such contact may be in person, by writing, telephone, or other means, and should be made no less than ten days prior to the end of the public comment period to allow time to provide such aid or services. Contact the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation ADA Coordinator, 12th Floor, 401 Church Street, Nashville, TN 37243, 1-(866)-253-5827. Hearing impaired callers may use the Tennessee Relay Service, 1-(800)-848-0298.